

26 May 1981

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

Staff Meeting Minutes of 26 May 1981

The Director chaired the meeting.

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The Director noted that he and George Clarke, OGC, had a meeting with Richard Allen on 23 May to discuss Executive Order 12036. The Director noted that the differences between NSC and CIA are not as serious as the press indicates.

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The Director reported that at his breakfast this morning with Secretary Haig he discussed the cover problem, particularly the possibility of the republishing of the Biographic Register. (See Staff Meeting Minutes of 19 May.)

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In response to the Director's question on how he intends to handle E.O. 12036, Sporkin made the following comments: He intends to analyze the submissions which have already been sent; he expects to have legal research done on the restrictions; and finally, he intends to talk to the Director about any political implications over the final version of the Executive Order. Admiral Inman noted that Secretary Haig supports our draft of the Executive Order and will push for its approval.

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Hitz reported he had received a request from Representative Solarz (DL., NY) to receive a briefing about CIA covert action [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] Hitz said that a response is being prepared and will point out to the Congressman that with the revision of the Hughes-Ryan Amendment CIA limits materials and briefings on covert action to just the House and Senate Intelligence Committees and that one of the reasons for the dual membership with HFAC Members on the HPSCI was to particularly satisfy the Committee's need for knowledge of such information. [REDACTED]

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Hitz reported the Director's overview for the Senate Appropriations Committee probably will be next week. [REDACTED]

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The Director welcomed Glerum as the new Director of Personnel. [REDACTED]

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Admiral Inman noted that there was a SIG meeting on Cuba today. [REDACTED]

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